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SUBJECT: SMI/SFCP - RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT TRAVEL OF  
DR. KAMALJIT S. BAWA

ATTENTION: SCIENCE ATTACHE; BUDGET AND FISCAL OFFICER

1. SMI/SFCP HAS APPROVED RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT TRAVEL TO INDIA IN EARLY JANUARY OF DR. KAMALJIT S. BAWA, UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS, TO CONSULT WITH INDIAN OFFICIALS ON COLLABORATIVE STUDIES ON THE REPRODUCTIVE BIOLOGY OF TROPICAL LOWLAND FOREST TREES. DR. BAWA HAS RECEIVED LETTERS OF INVITATION TO CONFER ON THIS SUBJECT WITH DR. P.N. MEHRA, DIRECTOR, SPECIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMME FOR ADVANCED RESEARCH, PANJAB UNIVERSITY AND DR. P.K. KHOSLA, HEAD, DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY, HIMACHAL PRADESH UNIVERSITY.

2. SMI/SFCP PREPARED COVER PER DIEM AND INTERNAL TRAVEL OF  
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MEHRA AND KHOSLA WHO WILL ACCOMPANY BAWA TO FIELD. THESE FUNDS WILL BE DISBURSED DIRECTLY TO BAWA WHO WILL ACCOUNT FOR THEM ON VOUCHER TO SMI.

3. PROVIDED EMBASSY PERCEIVES NO OBJECTION, SMI/SFCP AUTHORIZES EMBASSY DISBURSE TO DR. BAWA PER DIEM FOR

15 DAYS AT 35 US DOLS EQUIVALENT FOR TOTAL OF 525 US DOLS  
EQUIVALENT AND 1,190 US DOLS EQUIVALENT COVER MISCELLA-  
NEOUS EXPENSES AND COSTS TO MEHRA AND KHOSLA. CHARGE  
TO APPROPRIATION 33X0102. VANCE

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